THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Koichiro NAKATANI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3748

Application No.: 10/607,154

Examiner:

T. NGUYEN

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For:

DEVICE FOR PURIFYING EXHAUST GAS FOR ENGINE

LARGE ENTITY PETITION FOR 1st - 3rd EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) AND TRANSMITTAL OF FEE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.17

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to the outstanding Official Action in the above-identified patent application. The shortened statutory period having expired July 5, 2005, an extension of time for a period of one month is hereby requested. Attached hereto is our Check No. 169376 in the amount of \$120.00 in payment for:

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Respectfully submitted,

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